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SUBJECT: ZAIRIAN VISIT OF SECRETARY BERGSTEN

REF: KINSHASA 4130

1. FOLLOWING IS BERGSTEN BIO DATA:

SIGNED OATH OFFICE AS ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE
TREASURY FOR INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS ON MARCH 31, 1977/
RESPONSIBLE FOR FORMULATION AND EXECUTION OF US INTER-
NATIONAL ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL POLICIES, AND FOR US
POLICY IN INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT LENDING INSTITUTIONS
INCLUDING THE WORLD BANK.

2. EDUCATION:GRADUATE MAGNA CUM LAUDE IN 1961 FROM
CENTRAL METHODIST COLLEGE IN MISSOURI. RECEIVED M.A.
M.A.L.D. AND PHD FROM THE FLETCHER SCHOOL OF LAW AND
DIPLOMACY WHERE HE MAJORED IN INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS AND
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS.

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3. CAREER EXPERIENCE: SERVED AS PRESIDENT CARTER'S
ADVISER ON INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS DURING THE 1976
CAMPAIGN. ACCOMPANIED VICE PRESIDENT MONDALE TO
EUROPEAN CAPITALS AND TOKYO IN JANUARY 1977.

WAS SENIOR FELLOW AT BROOKINGS INSTITUTION FROM 1972
UNTIL JOINING CARTER/MONDALE TRANSITION TEAM IN 1977.

WAS VISITING FELLOW AT THE COUNCIL ON FOREIGN RELATIONS FROM 1971-1972 AND FROM 1967-69. ASSISTANT FOR INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC AFFAIRS TO DR. HENRY KISSINGER, 1969-71. INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIST AT THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE 1973-67.

4. PUBLICATIONS: AUTHOR AND CO-AUTHOR OF EIGHT BOOKS AND SIXTY ARTICLES. HIS LATEST BOOK IS ENTITLED "DILEMMAS OF THE DOLLAR: THE ECONOMICS AND POLITICS OF US INTERNATIONAL MONETARY POLITICS", PUBLISHED IN 1976. LATER THIS YEAR HE WILL PUBLISH A VOLUME ENTITLED "AMERICAN MULTINATIONALS AND AMERICAN INTERESTS".

5. AWARDS/HONORS: DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI AWARD (1975) FROM CENTRAL METHODIST COLLEGE, MISSOURI. NAMED ONE OF TIME MAGAZINE'S 200 OUTSTANDING YOUNG AMERICAN LEADERS IN 1974.

6. PERSONAL: BORN IN BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, 1941. MARRIED TO VIRGINIA WOOD BERGSTEN. ONE SON, MARK, AGE NINE. CURRENTLY RESIDING IN ANNANDALE, VIRGINIA.

7. ENCRYPTED FOR TRANSMISSION. DECLASSIFY UPON RECEIPT. VANCE

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